

## **REMARKS**

### **Claim Rejections**

Claims 1-11 would be allowed if amended to correct the formalities set forth in the outstanding Office Action.

### **Drawings**

It is noted that no Patent Drawing Review (Form PTO-948) was received with the outstanding Office Action. Thus, Applicant must assume that the drawings are acceptable as filed.

### **Amendments to Specification**

Applicant has amended the specification as noted above to cure obvious grammatical and idiomatic inaccuracies. A copy of the specification as originally filed with this application is attached herewith. It is respectfully noted that the originally submitted specification did not include the typographical errors set forth in the outstanding Office Action.

It is believed that the foregoing amendments to the specification overcome the outstanding objections thereto. No "new matter" has been added to the original disclosure by the foregoing amendments to the specification.

### **Abstract of the Disclosure**

Applicant is submitting herewith a substitute Abstract of the Disclosure for that originally filed with this application to more clearly describe the claimed invention. Entry of the substitute Abstract of the Disclosure is respectfully requested.

### **Claim Amendments**

By this Amendment, Applicant has amended claims 1-5 to obviate the objections set forth in the outstanding Office Action. It is believed that amended claims 1-11 now specifically set forth each element of Applicant's invention in full compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 112.

Since claims 1-11 have been indicated as being allowable if rewritten to overcome the objections set forth in the outstanding Office Action, no detailed discussion of the cited prior art references is believed to be necessary.


**Summary**

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that this application is now in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested. Should any points remain in issue, which the Examiner feels could best be resolved by either a personal or a telephone interview, it is urged that Applicant's local attorney be contacted at the exchange listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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